

AD

32/28/2005 MON 14:41 FAX

--- USPTO OPR Fax

AKIMA-DTSV 28 FEB 2005

001/005

FILE COPY

Docket No.: 2038-320

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yasuhiko KENMOCHI *et al.*

Confirmation No. 6485

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/753,531

Group Art Unit: 3761

Filed: January 9, 2004

Examiner: Laura C. Hill

For: PULL-ON DISPOSABLE WEARING ARTICLE

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Attached is a copy of the Filing Receipt received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-referenced application, on which we noticed that the filing date of the foreign application is listed erroneously. Also attached are copies of the priority papers as filed, providing the correct filing date of the corresponding Japanese application, which should appear as **January 10, 2003**. It is requested that a corrected filing receipt be issued *immediately*.

Respectfully submitted,

LOWE HAUPTMAN & BERNER, LLP


Benjamin J. Hauptman
Registration No. 29,310

1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 300
Alexandria, Virginia 22314
703-684-1111 BJH/klb
Facsimile: 703-518-5499
Date: February 28, 2005

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING FACSIMILE TRANSMITTED
TO THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ON THE DATE SHOWN BELOW


TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATION

SIGNATURE

Kindra Bryant
February 28, 2005
DATE

703-746-9195
FACSIMILE NUMBER



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1459
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

APPL NO.	FILING OR 371 (c) DATE	ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLMS	IND CLMS
10/753,531	01/09/2004	3761	770	2038-320	8	6	1

CONFIRMATION NO. 6485

22429

LOWE HAUPTMAN GILMAN AND BERNER, LLP
1700 DIAGONAL ROAD
SUITE 300 /310
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

RECEIVED

FILING RECEIPT

OC000000012387998

APR 20 2004

Lowe, Hauptman, Gilman & Berner

Date Mailed: 04/19/2004

Receipt is acknowledged of this regular Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Yasuhiko Kenmochi, Kagawa-ken, JAPAN;
Takaaki Shimada, Kagawa-ken, JAPAN;
Takako Uosawa, Kagawa-ken, JAPAN;
Toshifumi Otsubo, Kagawa-ken, JAPAN;

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

Foreign Applications

JAPAN 2003-38977 10/01/2003

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 04/19/2004

Projected Publication Date: 04/07/2005

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Pull-on disposable wearing article

DOCKETED BY: 9
DUE DATE: _____

LOWE HAUPTMAN GILMAN & BERNER LLP
1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 300, Alexandria, VA 22314

Early Serial Number Requested

NEW PATENT APPLICATION

Enclosed for filing herewith is a

Docket No.: 2038-320

☒ Utility Application

☐ National Stage Processing of Int'l Application, No.

☐ Design Application

☐ Provisional Application

Of (INV.):

YASUHIKO KENMOTO et al.

For (Title):

PULL-ON DISPOSABLE WEARING ARTICLE

The PTO stamp hereon acknowledge receipt of:

☒ Specification, Claims & Abstract (pages 35) (No. Claims 6) ☒ Drawings (sheets 8) ☐ Formal

☐ PCT National Stage Transmittal Letter (PTO Form 1390), with: ☐ International Publication No.

☐ Translation ☐ Amendment (Article 19) ☐ Translation ☐ Amendment (Article 34) ☐ Translation

☐ Request for filing ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional (37 CFR 1.53b)

☐ Copy of Prior Application & Declaration SN:

Filed:

☒ Declaration/Power of Atty.

☐ Assignment with recordation form cover sheet

☒ Info. Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 & references (1)

☐ Statement Regarding Sequence Listing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821

☐ Check No.

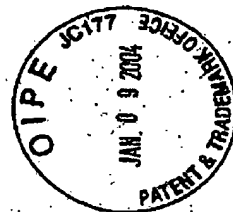
☐ Others:

☒ Credit Card Payment Form No. 7999

Amount: \$ 770.00

Filed By/For: BH/CP

Date: 01-09-04



Docket No.: 2038-320

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yasuhiko KENMOCHI et al.

U.S. Patent Application No. *Not yet assigned*Filed: *Herewith*

:
:
: Confirmation No. *Not yet assigned*
:
: Group Art Unit: *Not yet assigned*
:
: Examiner: *Not yet assigned*

For: PULL-ON DISPOSABLE WEARING ARTICLE

CLAIM OF PRIORITY AND
TRANSMITTAL OF CERTIFIED PRIORITY DOCUMENT

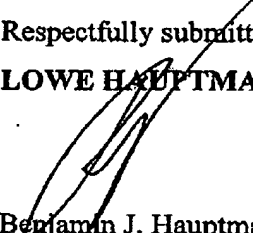
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 119, Applicant hereby claims, in the present application, the priority of *Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-38977, filed January 10, 2003*. The certified copy is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

LOWE HAUPTMAN GILMAN & BERNER, LLP



Benjamin J. Hauptman
Registration No. 29,310

1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 310
Alexandria, Virginia 22314
(703) 684-1111 BJH/etp
Facsimile: (703) 518-5499
Date: January 9, 2004

日 本 国 特 許 庁
JAPAN PATENT OFFICE

別紙添付の書類に記載されている事項は下記の出願書類に記載されている事項と同一であることを証明する。

This is to certify that the annexed is a true copy of the following application as filed with this Office.

出 願 年 月 日 2 0 0 3 年 1 月 1 0 日
Date of Application:

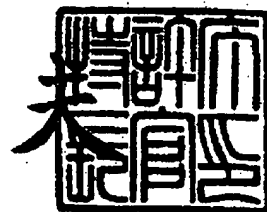
出 願 番 号 特 願 2 0 0 3 - 0 3 8 9 7 7
Application Number:
[ST. 10/C]: [J P 2 0 0 3 - 0 3 8 9 7 7]

出 願 人 ユニ・チャーム株式会社
Applicant(s):

2 0 0 3 年 1 0 月 2 2 日

特許庁長官
Commissioner,
Japan Patent Office

今 井 康



**This Page is Inserted by IFW Indexing and Scanning
Operations and is not part of the Official Record**

BEST AVAILABLE IMAGES

Defective images within this document are accurate representations of the original documents submitted by the applicant.

Defects in the images include but are not limited to the items checked:

- ☐ **BLACK BORDERS**
- ☐ **IMAGE CUT OFF AT TOP, BOTTOM OR SIDES**
- ☐ **FADED TEXT OR DRAWING**
- ☐ **BLURRED OR ILLEGIBLE TEXT OR DRAWING**
- ☐ **SKEWED/SLANTED IMAGES**
- ☐ **COLOR OR BLACK AND WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS**
- ☐ **GRAY SCALE DOCUMENTS**
- ☐ **LINES OR MARKS ON ORIGINAL DOCUMENT**
- ☐ **REFERENCE(S) OR EXHIBIT(S) SUBMITTED ARE POOR QUALITY**
- ☐ **OTHER:** _____

IMAGES ARE BEST AVAILABLE COPY.

As rescanning these documents will not correct the image problems checked, please do not report these problems to the IFW Image Problem Mailbox.